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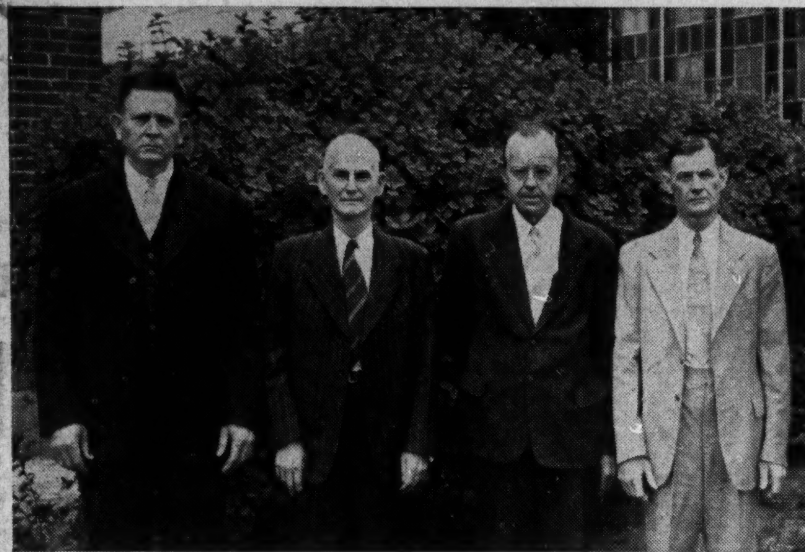
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OUR FLAGS
FLYING!

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FOUR PAGES TODAY

E PENNANT TO BE PRESENTED TODAY



REPRESENT EMPLOYEES—The above four men will represent all employees of the mills when they are presented the Army-Navy E emblems in the ceremonies this afternoon. Reading from left to right, they are: Columbus F. Brooks, employee of Print Works since 1916; William F. Loman, employee of White Oak since 1904; John H. Murphy, employee of Proximity since 1900, and Jeffe L. Oakley, employee of Revolution since 1900. Together they represent a total of 152 years of continuous service to the four mills.

Col. Robert T. Stevens Presents Pennant Today

Col. Robert T. Stevens, Chief of the Clothing and Textile Branch, Procurement Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, who will formally present the Army-Navy E pennant this afternoon, serves as an example of the type of business man who has been called into active service in the army to handle the many complex problems of military procurements.

Col. Stevens is a veteran of the First World War and a leading figure in the textile industry. He resigned the presidency of one of the nation's largest textile distributing organizations and directorates in some fifteen other business corporations in order to accept appointment in the army and use his talents for Uncle Sam.

He entered the army on January 15, 1942 at the request of Maj. E. G. Gregory, the Quartermaster General, and Maj. Gen. C. L. Corbin, Director of Procurement in the Office of the Quartermaster General. He was promoted to his present rank on December 3, 1943 and has the responsibility of administering and coordinating the Quartermaster Corps textile procurement policies established by Gen. Corbin.

Born in Fanwood, N. J. on July 31, 1899, Col. Stevens graduated from Phillips Academy at Andover, Massachusetts in 1917, and from Yale University in 1921. He was awarded the honorary degree of LL. D. by Presbyterian college in 1938.

During World War I, he served as Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery and at the close of the war, became associated with J. P. Stevens and Company, Inc. in New York City. In 1929 he was elevated to the presidency of this firm.

He has seen previous service in the Quartermaster Corps, having served on the staff of Gen. Hugh S. Johnson in 1933, and as Chief of the Textile Branch under Edward R. Stettinius, Jr. in 1940.

Col. Stevens attended the first Civilian Orientation Course conducted by the army at the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and graduated the day before the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.



COL. ROBERT T. STEVENS

Impressive Ceremonies To Mark Coveted Award To Local Mills

Ushers For Ceremonies Today Are Announced

Will Be Taken From Each
Of The Four Local Mills

The list of ushers for the Army-Navy E award ceremonies to take place this afternoon has been announced, with the list containing representatives from each of the four mills.

The following will display the pennant upon its presentation to Mr. Herman Cone: Catherine Caviness, of White Oak; Ruby Elder, of Proximity; Sallie C. Stoneman, of Revolution; and Ida Brooks, of Print Works.

Those from White Oak are: Ethel Keaton, Irene Teague, Helen Gregory, Dorothy Flintom, Ruth Stevens, Essie Malone, Naomi Lovett, Ruth Gregory, Catherine Caviness, Nora Williams, Mildred Gant, Della Crowder, Edith Cockman, Evelyn Parrish, and Ruth Maness.

Representatives from Proximity are: Helen Weaver, Ruby Elder, Florence Cambs, Frances Riley, Virgie Lashley, Virginia Myers, Dixie Jones, Lucille Lovings, Mary Scott and Margaret Riley.

From Revolution: Gracie Williamson, Myrtle Cockman, Bessie Wilson, Sallie C. Stoneman, Ruby Smith, Iris Shepherd, Eula E. Maness, Kathleen Britt, Lois Draper and Helen Jackson.

From Print Works: Mazie Redmond, Lola Martindale, Ida Brooks, Lula Spires and Lillie Riddle.

Four Representatives Of Employees To Receive Emblems This Afternoon; Numerous Notables Will Participate In Ceremonies To Begin At 2:45



MR. HERMAN CONE

Mr. Herman Cone, President of Proximity Manufacturing Co., and Revolution Cotton Mills will formally accept the Army-Navy E Pennant which will be awarded the local mills this afternoon.

Circle No. 2 Meets With Mrs. Johnson

Circle No. 2, of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Revolution Baptist church met Tuesday night, May 11, for their regular Bible study at the home of Mrs. John Johnson.

The program was as follows: Hymn, "Blessed Assurance" was sung, followed by several prayers. The minutes were read and approved. The circle studied the 5th chapter of Acts. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Waldo Johnson.

Those present were: Mesdames John Johnson, Waldo Johnson, Lacy Moffitt, Lee Newton, John Jones, H. R. Starling and Mrs. Ritter.

Team Party Given By Methodist Youth Of Haw River

Sometime ago there were two teams formed in the Methodist Youth organization for the purpose of increasing attendance. The losing team was to give the winning team a party. The colors of the organization, blue and gold, were used.

Saturday night was the scene of a backward party, given the Gold team by the Blue team in the basement of Hol's chapel. The guests wore something backward as their ticket to the party.

First came the spelling bee with the words spelled backward. As the evening progressed more backward games were played, relating racing, etc.

A cold drink and cookies were served as a climax for the evening fun. Miss Constance Cates, leader of the Blue team, had charge of the games.

Mrs. Maud Carpenter Passed Away Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Maud Carpenter, 57, who died Friday at her residence on McKnight Mill road, was held at Hanes chapel at 4 p. m. Monday. Pallbearers were C. L. Pinkleton, H. P. Andrews, A. L. Apple, D. A. Morgan, W. A. Straughn and S. E. Wheeler. Burial was in Forest Lawn cemetery.

Capt. Clay Unable To Attend Ceremonies

Word has been received here that Capt. Alfred T. Clay, U. S. Navy, who was to have presented the Army-Navy E emblems to the employees today, will be unable to attend the presentation exercises. Government orders require his presence out of the state today, making it impossible for him to be present.

Lt. Huger S. King, of the Sixth Naval District, Charleston, has been ordered here to substitute for Capt. Clay in making the presentation.

Before a crowd of probably more than 10,000 persons, the men and women of the four local mills will be signally honored this afternoon at 2:45 o'clock, when the significant Army-Navy E will be presented the four plants for excellence in production of war materials.

The Honorable J. Melville Broughton, Governor of North Carolina, will make the address of welcome, after which Col. Robert T. Stevens, Chief of the Clothing and Textile Branch, Procurement Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, will formally present the pennant. After being raised by the Greensboro Home Guard, it will be formally accepted by Mr. Herman Cone, President of Proximity Manufacturing company and Revolution Cotton Mills.

After presentation and acceptance of the pennant, Lt. Huger S. King, of the Sixth Naval District, Charleston, S. C., will present Army-Navy E emblems to the employees of the mills. Lt. King takes the place of Capt. Alfred T. Clay, U. S. Navy, who was ordered out of the state unexpectedly and will not be able to attend the ceremonies. The emblems will be received by John H. Murphy, of Proximity; William F. Loman, of White Oak; Jeffe L. Oakley, of Revolution; and Columbus I. Brooks, of Print Works, who will represent the workers of their respective mills. These four men represent 152 years of continuous service to the Cone Mills, and are the oldest in point of service with the exception of two employees with equal records. Mary Murphy, sister of John H. Murphy, and Lester Oakley, brother of Jeffe L. Oakley, began work at the same time.

Mr. Loman will accept the emblems in behalf of all the employees.

The program for the ceremonies follows:

Master of Ceremonies—L. P. McLendon
Raising of Colors—Greensboro Home Guard
The Star-Spangled Banner—U. S. Army Band
Invocation—Rev. H. R. Starling, pastor, Revolution Baptist church
Address of Welcome—Hon. J. Melville Broughton, Governor of North Carolina

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Numerous Notables Will Attend Presentation Today

Outstanding Notables In Military And Private
Life To Be Among Large Crowd Anticipated

The following are among the distinguished out-of-town guests who are Greensboro for the Army-Navy E presentation: Lt. Ben Cone, U. S. Army, formerly an official of these mills, now stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas; Honorable J. M. Broughton, Governor of North Carolina; Brig. Gen. Janius W. Jones, Commanding General, First District, AAFTC, stationed at Sedgefield; Col. Robert T. Stevens, Chief of the Clothing and Textile Branch, Procurement Division, Office of the Quartermaster General, U. S. Army; Major Robert Dillon, Philadelphia Quartermaster Depot; Col. C. W. Woodward, Commanding Officer, Charlotte Quartermaster Depot; Major H. O. Clark, Jr., Public Relations Officer, Charlotte Quartermaster Depot and representative of the Undersecretary of War in making arrangements for presentation program; Lt. Com. J. L. Truslow, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, U. S. Navy, Washington, D. C.; Col. Robert P. Glassburn, Commanding Officer, Basic Training Center No. 10, Greensboro; Forrest H. Shuford, N. C. Commissioner of Labor; T. A. Wilson, Chairman, North Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association; Hunter Marshall, Secretary, North Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association; John Halstead, Secretary-Treasurer, Cotton Textile Institute; Harry Riemer, New York Daily News Record; R. W. Phillips, editor of Cottons; Earle Mauldin, Textile World; following the representatives of the Cone Export and Commission Company headed by Mr. S. F. Dribben, President of the company, who is also an officer of the local mills; C. M. Guggenheim, Bill Brayer, Joe Steinmetz, Joe McLean and Al Rydstrom.

Others who will be present include: Lt. Huger S. King, Sixth Naval District, Charleston, S. C., who was formerly mayor of Greensboro; Ed Millis, Chairman of the Guilford County Board of Commissioners; also the following executives of out-of-town Cone mills: George Murphy, Asheville Cotton Mills, Asheville; Sidney Paine, Taborney Manufacturing company, Haw River; Jim Webb, Eno Cotton Mills, Hillsboro; J. R. Young, Minnola Manufacturing company, Gibsonville; C. S. and Stedman Morris, Salisbury Cotton Mills, Salisbury; and C. H. Haynes, Cliffside Mills, Cliffside, N. C.

Mr. Martin was well known locally, having been street superintendent at Revolution for 24 years. He was a member of Revolution Lodge No. 552, A. F. & A. M. the Sons and Daughters of Liberty and the P. O. S. of A. Pallbearers were: Fred Winecoff and Ed Chambers, of the P. O. S. of A.; Hoyle Campbell and L. L. Carter, of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty; and G. M. Hobbs and C. F. Phillips, of Revolution Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Mamie Davis; three daughters, Mrs. Edna Trantham, Mrs. Edith Tedwell and Miss Martha Martin, all of Greensboro; five sons, W. N. Martin and A. W. Martin, both of Greensboro; Sgt. Albert R. Martin, with the Army in Arkansas; Sgt. Alton F. Martin, with the Army in Seattle, Wash., and Pfc. David A. Martin, with the Army in California, and 10 grandchildren.



LT. (jg) BENJAMIN CONE

Lt. Cone, above, former official of the local mills, will attend the ceremonies this afternoon as an official representative of the Navy Department.

Funeral Held For N. B. Martin Here

Services Held At Residence
Last Sunday; Was Street
Superintendent For 24 Yrs.

Funeral services were conducted at the home, 2211 Vine street, last Sunday afternoon at 4:00 P. M. for N. B. Martin, 64, who died last Friday morning at 9:30. He had been in declining health for about five years, but death came suddenly, following an illness of only a few hours. Rev. H. R. Starling, pastor of Revolution Baptist church, conducted the service. Interment in Forest Lawn cemetery was postponed until this week, in order that two sons in the service could be present.

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RIPPLES OF HAW RIVER

Harvey Huffstetter of Richmond Medical Center, Richmond, Va., is spending a few days with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huffstetter.

Sgt. John T. Conner has returned to Fort Meade, Md., after spending the past week here with his family. Mrs. Huston Mazy, Huston Jr., and Patricia Raye and Miss Ruby Conner have returned to Huntsville, Ala., after spending the past week visiting Mrs. Mazy and Miss Conner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Conner.

W. M. Leach and daughter, Peggy, spent Sunday in Greensboro, visiting relatives.

Surgical Dressings Has New Members

The Proximity Surgical dressings room boasted three new members on Monday night at 4:00 P. M. for N. B. Martin, 64, who died last Friday morning at 9:30. He had been in declining health for about five years, but death came suddenly, following an illness of only a few hours. Rev. H. R. Starling, pastor of Revolution Baptist church, conducted the service. Interment in Forest Lawn cemetery was postponed until this week, in order that two sons in the service could be present.

Final commencement exercises were held Monday evening at 8:00 P. M. in the school auditorium. Goldie Alvis, salutatorian, gave the valedictory address. She then presented Alma Dean King, who represented the Spirit of Haw River school and who gave a brief review of the efforts of the pupils in the school in the task of winning the war. Scenes depicting some of the work done during the year followed.

Miss Anthony's fourth grade presented a dance, portraying the importance of keeping children happy. A health skit was given by Miss Wilkin's grade; an explanation of the scrap drive in the school and community by Delores Cole and Jimmy Best; a first aid scene by Donnell Barham, Jimmie Hendry, and Reggie May; and sale of defense stamps by Miss Yarborough's second and third grade. Miss Brannock's Home Economics class gave, in speech and song, a very colorful scene on nutrition.

The final scene was patriotic: Carl-

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Certificates were presented to thirty-eight graduates of the eighth grade by Mr. J. R. Barker, principal of the school.

Mr. R. E. Stratford presented the Bessie Wilkins Memorial Declaration Medal to Allen Pearson and the Brooks Memorial recitation Medal to Elsie Huffstetter. The Long Scholarship medal was presented to Vivian Waddell for the highest average in high school. She also won the Reader's Digest award which is given to the Valedictorian of the class.

Willard Abernathy presented a gift from the class to the school. He also gave gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Bain, grandparents, and to Martin Flynn and Ronald Nash, class mascots.

Rev. Homer P. Starr presented a Bible, gift of the Parent-Teachers Association, to each graduate.

Diplomas were presented to sixteen graduates by Mr. P. C. Beatty, chairman of the school board.

Vivian Waddell, Valedictorian, closed the program with a farewell address.

The names of the graduates are: Willard Abernathy, Frank Bain Jr., Richard Flynn, Hal Isley, Buddy Jeffers, Elwood Johnston, Wilbert Nash, Thomas Smith, Norman Sotherly, Ralph Thompson, Goldie Alvis, Corine Hicks, Mary Ruth Holt, Beatrice Neese, Vivian Waddell, and Eva Way.

Commencement Exercises Held At Haw River School

Sixteen seniors were presented diplomas at the graduation exercises May 10th. On Sunday evening, May 9th, the Baccalaureate Service for Haw River high school was delivered by Rev. James S. Cox, Rector of the Church of the Holy Comforter, Burlington. In his very inspirational message, Rev. Cox stressed three principles which every graduate should remember and live by—courage, perseverance, and loyalty.

Reverend M. D. Smith, pastor of Haw River Baptist church gave the invocation, and Rev. A. C. Edens, pastor of the Haw River Methodist church, read the scripture lesson for the evening.

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WHITE OAK LOCAL NEWS

Charleston Stone, John Lewis and Sam Martin were home from Fort Jackson for the week end.

Mrs. George Creswell, Lancaster, S. C., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris. She came especially for Mother's Day.

Mrs. John Cates is seriously ill at her home on Maple street. She suffered a heart attack last Saturday night.

Mrs. Owen Parker has returned from Wesley Long hospital and is improving rapidly.

Sgt. Eddie Pickard, Camp Clairborne, Ala., is spending his furlough with Mrs. Pickard and son on Hubbard street.

Mrs. T. W. Turner spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Shankle at Mt. Gilead.

Mesdames H. Pennington, E. L. Reese, and R. L. Kale and L. C. Amos have been chosen as delegates from Carraway Memorial church to attend the Quarterly Conference at Pleasant Garden, Sunday afternoon.

Ray Davis left last week for Bosca Field, Fla., after a ten days furlough spent with his mother, Mrs. T. W. Michael and Mr. Michael.

Pvt. Walter Carter is at home on a ten days furlough. He and Mrs. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Cockman spent the week with relatives at Sparta.

Pvt. R. L. Owens is at home on a ten days leave from Ft. Jackson, S. C.

Pvt. Howard Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnson, 20th street, was transferred last week from Camp Adair, Oregon to Camp Lewis, Wash.

Pvt. Harlan Bowman, Camp Rucker, Ala., spent a three days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bowman on 20th street, recently.

Pvt. Howard Strickland, Ft. Myers, (Continued on Page Two)

Statewide Safety Conference To Be Held On May 20-21 For Year Of 1943

Plans have now been completed for the Fourteenth Annual Statewide Safety conference to be held in Charlotte, Thursday and Friday, May 20 and 21. First Edition programs have been mailed and we are looking forward to another successful meeting.

Occupational accidents killed approximately 18,500 workers in 1942, an increase of 500 over the 1941 total. Non-fatal injuries totalled about 1,250,000 including approximately 70,000 permanent disabilities. Absence from work due to non-fatal injuries, both on and off the job, was great enough to be the equivalent to closing down the entire airplane and ship-building industries for 54 days!

While the war news during the past several weeks has been bright, we have by no means won the victory. Many of our sons, brothers, sweethearts will give up their lives before the final peace is ours. That we on the Home Front can hasten the day of victory and save the lives of many loved ones is a known fact. The whole responsibility for an early peace does not by any means belong to those on the battle front. We here at home have a very definite part of this responsibility. We must produce more than ever before in the history of our country, and this must be done today—not tomorrow.

We are working against time—time that means the difference between an

early return home of our victorious sons and a long-delayed victory costing many more valuable lives.

Accidents have no place in the picture today. They have never been welcome, but now accidents involving loss of life or time are calamities that must be avoided. Recently, Major General Campbell, of the United States Army said: "Time lost today on the production front means lives lost tomorrow on the fighting front."

This year's Safety Conference is devoted to the problem of Conserving Manpower for Warpower. Two full days will be given to the discussing of ways and means of preventing loss of

our manpower on account of useless accidents. Subjects for discussion have been carefully selected, and speakers have only one thought in mind—to prevent something that will have a definite bearing on our production efforts. The time spent at the conference will be well spent, and could, in no sense of the word, be considered time lost. Regardless of how busy you may be you do have time to attend one or more sessions of the Conference, as what you learn may be the means of saving countless days otherwise lost on account of some accident that could have been prevented had someone known how.

PROXIMITY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Kilgo Green and children of Connelly Springs, spent the past week end with Mrs. Green's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith on Fairview street.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips, 1302 Fairview street, announce the birth of a son, Vernon Leon. Mrs. Phillips is the former Miss Ella Mae Jordan.

Payton Faircloth, who has been a patient at St. Leo's hospital for some time is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Younger of Gibsonville, are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. P. T. Andrews and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Maness and family and Mrs. I. B. Turner and son, Don, spent Sunday with friends in Randolph county.

George Southern, who is stationed with the Coast Guards at Carolla, spent several days recently with relatives. (Continued on Page Two)

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WHITE OAK
REVOLUTION

Greensboro, North Carolina, Friday, May 14, 1943

Welcome To Our Guests

In behalf of the men and women of Proximity, White Oak, Print Works and Revolution, the Textorian desires to welcome to our celebration today the many out of town distinguished guests who are honoring us by their presence. We accord them a hearty welcome and trust that their stay with us will be as inspiring to them as it will be to us.

We also extend a hearty welcome to our fellow townsmen who are joining us today on this important occasion.

Upon This Record We Must Build

Upon this record we must build. Today, as the men and women of Proximity, White Oak, Print Works and Revolution are honored by the Army and Navy of the United States, they each should resolve to so build upon their past achievements that when six months have passed, they again will be recognized as having performed excellently.

This day should serve as a springboard to greater achievement. It should serve as a background for that realization which will impel them toward the type of performance which total war really demands of them.

A recent lecturer, who had spent several years in war-torn Europe, stated that upon his return to this country he was disappointed to note that the United States is the only one of the warring nations which is not measuring up to the demands of a total war. The demands of total war, which we must fight, are extremely great. If these demands are not met by us in this country, ultimate defeat may be our penalty.

Thus far, the average American citizen does not seem to have been impressed with the true meaning of total war or with the obligations that total war imposes upon him. In the words of "Labor and Industry", a monthly bulletin issued by the North Carolina Department of Labor, "At the outset, the problem looks as if it were largely one of morale. This is because while we are fighting a total war in words and slogans, we are not really fighting a total war at all in the sense that our enemies are. Most of us fail to realize that our national existence is literally at stake, and this failure results in our not putting our very best into the war efforts. Aside from purely military operation, a great many of us continue to live pretty much as if there were no war going on."

Our past record has been better than average; in fact, if it had not, we would not today receive the recognition accorded us. We are proud to assume that we have contributed well to the prosecution of the war, and we can obtain considerable gratification over the knowledge that our efforts have truly supported the efforts of our fighting men. We do not believe, however, that even with our record of "EXCELLENCE" that we have as yet measured up to the requirements of the times—the requirements of the total war we must fight to a successful conclusion. We, therefore, on this great day in our history, should dedicate ourselves to a wholehearted performance, such a performance that no one may now, or in the future, point an accusing finger at us and say, "You did not do your part on the industrial front." Let us resolve to so build upon our record of today that we can have no reason to live in regret tomorrow. Let our performance on the production front measure up fully to the standards we have every right to expect of our men on the fighting fronts.

Work Will Win

(The following thought-provoking editorial was contributed for this, our E award issue.)

Work won the Army-Navy "E" Production Award for the four Cone Mills in Greensboro. The work of each man and woman goes into the bigger sample and the bigger samples are woven together into the great

big quilt. Over across the oceans and the battlefields are the enemy workers, each working at his own sample, trying to make more samples than we can make, so that their quilt will be bigger than ours. Supported by the work are the Soldiers, with their desperate needs in the heat of battle, their lives depending on our work getting done in good time and of good quality. The Army-Navy "E" Production Award says to us: "Our work has been done in good time, and was of good quality." Our Soldiers at the front will hear about this award. They will know that lateness of delivery and poor quality of quality was no fault of their friends in the Cone Mills in Greensboro. We have worked well and we take pride in the knowledge that we have worked well.

But what of the future? Can we hold on to the Production Award that we have won? What will be the judgment of the Army and Navy when they review the production of the next six months? They will review the production every six months. They must find our work has not slackened. We are now deep in the middle of the job of outworking our enemies, and we must break their hearts with our production figures and quality, until they despair of equalling our courage, tenacity, and persistent, day in and day out production. We are on the way to breaking their spirit with our working ways and working courage.

We take pride that our jobs are directly contributing to the War Effort. Many people have left their old homes and jobs to find War Effort jobs, but we have had War Effort jobs brought to us. We take pride that our work is a direct contribution to the great struggle, and this knowledge revives us when we would get tired or discouraged. When we see the Soldiers on our streets, we stand shoulder to shoulder with them, thinking that our work helps their fight. We have helped them win Africa with our work; Now we are working harder to win Europe.

This May our Soldiers have won Tunisia, and we have won the "E". Next November let us have won the Star for our "E", so that our Soldiers can have won Italy!

WHITE OAK LOCAL NEWS

(Continued from Page One)

Fla., spent the week end with Mrs. Strickland, the former Henrietta Clapp. Tom Culbreath was home for the week end from the Naval Station in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. James Jarrett returned last week from Pensacola, Fla., where she went to visit Pvt. Jarrett.

Jack Ammon is spending his furlough with Mrs. Ammon on 19th street. He is stationed at a camp in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lucas attended Commencement exercises at Appalachian Training School at Boone. Miss Edith, who finished her Junior year returned with them.

Aviation Cadet Ed Redding left last Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., after a short visit at home. He left Nashville, Monday for California, where he will attend Aviation School.

J. Frank Pickard spent the week end at home. He will graduate with the University graduating class in June. Mrs. Clarence Moss has returned from New York City where she went to visit her husband.

Mrs. Joe Allen spent the past two weeks in Memphis, Tenn., visiting her husband.

W. A. Wyrick and daughter, Miss Mary Wyrick went to New York recently to meet Alton, who was being transferred from the west coast, but failed to see him. Mr. Wyrick went back the second time to see him.

Mrs. Ellsworth Straughan was given a farewell dinner at the home of a friend, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cockman, McAdoo Heights, by his wife, Mrs. Ellsworth Straughan, and Mrs. Cockman. The dinner was enjoyed by all. Mr. Straughan was drafted into the armed forces May 7 and was assigned to a marine base in California.

Brenda Sue Straughan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Straughan, remains seriously ill at Sternberger's hospital, where she was admitted shortly after birth, Thursday, May 6.

Mr. Milton Straughan was inducted into the armed forces April 21 and was assigned to Fort Jackson, S. C. He was given a week-end furlough and was to be moved when he arrived back at camp, Monday, May 10.

Funeral Services For Charles Tedder, Jr.

Funeral service for Charles Edgar Tedder, Jr., five-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tedder, 2508 Maple street, who died Friday, was held at Hanes chapel at 11 a. m. yesterday with Rev. Harold Loman, pastor of Gibsonville Christian church, officiating. Burial was in Proximity cemetery.

PROXIMITY HAPPENINGS

(Continued from Page One)

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Deaton and family spent Sunday with friends in the mountains of North Carolina.

Pvt. Lawrence Manuel and Pvt. Vernon Maness of Camp Croft, S. C., spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Westmoreland and daughter, Rebecca, spent the past week end with Mrs. Westmoreland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Knuckles in Colfax.

Pvt. and Mrs. Ralph Lowe announce the birth of a son at Piedmont Hospital. Mrs. Lowe is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lowe while her husband is in service.

Pvt. E. C. Guthrie and James Wells are both home on furlough. Pts. Billy Clifton and William Murray were home for the week end and Pvt. Jason Lowe, Jr., is at home on a 15-day furlough.

White Oak Surgical Dressings

A goodly number made surgical dressings Monday night at White Oak in spite of the rain storm.

Next Tuesday night and Wednesday, the 16th street Baptist church will be responsible for swelling the crowd, but everybody who has been coming is expected to be present.

Those present Tuesday night and Wednesday were: Mesdames Frank Clark, N. J. Pennington, R. L. Clapp, Garland Flintom, Beulah Tew, R. H. Armfield, Walter Thornburg, J. M. Stanley, G. Vaughan, J. W. Henderson, Elmer Southern, L. H. Bell, H. Pennington, A. P. Dickson and Misses Fannie Ivey, Lillian Tilly, Anna Motz, Agnes Matthews and Minnie Fields.

Rev. Baby Clinic

The following were new members at Revolution Baby Clinic: Julia and Jean Sams, Elizabeth Fay Meadows and Robert John Noah. Others present were Donald Talbert, Kenneth Ritter, Michael Strickland, Billy Wayne Hammer, Dale Hammer, Ann Hilliard, Daniel Clark, Ronald Lineberry, Rochelle Hobbs, Rebecca Lee Craven, Carrie Harris, Nellie Jewell Kelly, Lula Bell Hobbs, Brenda Kay Apple, Juliette Morgan, Everette Mills, II, Ruth Johnson, Rodger Hobbs, Rodger Harris, Freddy Moore, Grace Brown, Jessie Brown, Kenneth Vaughn, and Michael Welch.

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Mr. A. L. Stevenson and J. R. Richardson are spending the day in Jamestown visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Clapp and children are spending the week end with relatives in Mount Hope.

Miss Margaret Ray of Reidsville is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith at their home in Proximity.

Miss Julia Wilson, of Greenville is spending the week end with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Apple of Revolution.

Miss Emma Moreland, Poplar street nurse at St. Leo's hospital, has been confined with an attack of neuritis, but is improving.

15 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Brady, Mrs. W. W. Brady and Miss Ava Brady spent yesterday visiting in Haw River.

Mr. L. C. Criscoe is spending the week end in Winston Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hartzoge and family spent the week end in Kannapolis.

Mrs. Henry Gilley and son, Thomas, visited Mrs. W. T. Carter at her home on Maple street yesterday.

Miss Mabel Marley, of Lexington, is spending the week end with Miss Lucille Huffman at her home on Second street.

Miss Muriel Richard of Hickory spent the day yesterday visiting her sister, Miss Lois Richard, on Vine street.

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Mrs. F. A. Davis and daughter, Miss Frances Hobbs, of Mammond, Ind., and Mr. Fred Davis Jr., of High Point, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Manuel and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Snow this past week.

Mrs. Ora Snow and Miss Rachel Crisp, of Reidsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Manuel over the week end. Mrs. M. M. Welch, of Glenwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Manuel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Faircloth of Freeman Mill road and Mrs. McKellam and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Faircloth and Mrs. Herbert Faircloth and new baby Sunday afternoon.

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SPEAKING OF HEALTH

By DR. VICTOR G. HEISER
Medical Consultant Nation Association of Manufacturers

THE JOINTS WON'T BEND

At one time all arthritis was regarded more or less hopeless. Through recent advances, at least two types, namely the infectious and nutritional, can be cured. The rest of the cases may be classified in the third group, for which palliative relief may be had.

Among the most common ailments that trouble humans are the painful rheumatic and arthritic disorders. A

distinguished physician, the late Sir William Osler, is reported to have said: "I always want to jump out of the window whenever a person with arthritis comes into my office." Various causes have been given for these disorders, which the layman often calls "chronic rheumatism." The term is ordinarily applied to a group of symptoms chief of which is ill-defined pain in bones, muscles, or joints. Some patients are disabled for many years; others get relief when the weather is mild; still others are chronically ill and in need of bed care for long periods.

What Is the Cause?

There is as yet no definite scientific information as to a single cause of arthritis and rheumatism. For some time the theory of "focal infection" was held forth. The idea behind the theory was that changes in distant parts of the body may be brought about from a remote focus or point of infection.



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Sixty Piece Band To Play Today

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The 424th-425th Army Air Forces Band of Basic Training Center No. 10, will participate this afternoon in the Army-Navy "E" Award presentation ceremonies to the men and women of the Proximity Manufacturing company and the Revolution Cotton Mills.

During the program, to be held at 2:45 P.M. in the field opposite the Textorian and Revolution offices, the 60-piece band will play the Star Sprangled Banner, The Stars and Stripes Forever (Sousa), and America.

The band will offer a half-hour prelude before the opening of the program. Included among the numbers to be present are: The Army Air Corps (Crawford); The American Patrol (Meacham); National Emblem (Bagley); Overture to the Student Prince (Romberg); We're The Tech Command (Lt. Riemann, Pvt. Friedman, Novack, Ockner); and Symphonic March (Mancini).

The changes that actually occur are inflammatory in nature, with pain, tenderness, stiffness of joints. Tonsils, teeth, the gall bladder, the intestinal tract, and other parts of the body have been held responsible. Certainly it is wise to have infected teeth and tonsils removed, and to be under medical care for a troublesome gall bladder. But even when teeth and tonsils were removed, the arthritis has only occasionally been improved, and less frequently completely cured. This does not mean that cures have not followed such surgery. The contrary is true, for most dramatic cures have been observed.

Other theories as to cause have relied on metabolism, which relates to the body's use of the food consumed and to the question of diet. Causes and cures are still elusive. We hope to catch up with them before long.

For sufferers from these common disorders, the first recommendation is that they put themselves under the care of a physician. He may prescribe several things, including a visit to the dentist, removal of infected tonsils and adenoids, or other surgical measures. Drugs which give relief are available to the physician. Local rest for the painful inflamed joint or limb is an obvious method of relief. Heat in various forms gives relief for longer or shorter periods of time. First find out whether some definite measure may relieve and even cure. This is possible.

Washington Snapshots

by JAMES PRESTON

Developments of the past two weeks have again demonstrated the crying need for a national labor policy. Complaints pouring into the House and Senate say that the present vacillation on this vital issue makes it impossible to plan intelligently for the efficient utilization of manpower.

Points at present issue in a spreading labor revolt are, first, the War Manpower Commission's "job freeze" order issued at the President's direction and, second, the War Labor Board's inflexible application of the "Little Steel" yardstick in wage cases as requested by Mr. Roosevelt. Already the Administration has shown some tendency to modify the "job freeze" WMC Chairman Paul McNutt has announced that the order will be relaxed to permit essential workers to take higher paying jobs with new employers anywhere in the country provided the Commission finds the transfer will aid in the war program.

Adding to the complications of the manpower picture is the unemployment in many sections of the country being caused by cut-backs on war orders and changes in designs and specifications. Reports of factories closing down because of changes in production planning are coming in from all parts of the country. These conditions are causing a constant shifting of manpower supply.

Another sidelight concerns the decision of a Federal District Judge in California upholding the right of labor unions to restrict the use of labor-saving devices. The case involves dismissal of antitrust indictments against 78 contractors and labor unions who had refused to use spray-guns to paint government housing projects. This decision has prompted Congressional advocates of anti-featherbedding legislation to urge speedy action on pending measures to deal with this type of labor abuse. These legislators say it is strange that the nation has to be subjected to drastic manpower regulations when union bosses refuse to let their members use methods and devices that would go far toward helping labor shortages.

The House Military Affairs Committee has tentatively ended its hearings on a number of manpower bills, including the Smith Bill (H.R. 2239) to prohibit the unionization of foremen. The Committee will meet in executive session to determine the course to follow in respect to the various measures.

Since the first of the year OPA has eliminated 70 of its 460 price reports and questionnaires. "Since the beginning of the war program, American businessmen have been burdened with hundreds of government forms and questionnaires," Price Administrator Prentiss Brown said. "Filling out these reports and returning them to government agencies has required time, patience, and expense. Many of them were unnecessary, but in the future, wherever possible, we are going to try to give the question marks in the Government Printing Office a well-earned rest."

Miss Alvis Weds Sgt. Irwin Ham

Announcement has been made of the marriage April 4, 1943, in Cathage, Mo., of Miss Mary Louise Alvis and Sgt. Irwin Ham, both of Greensboro. The bridegroom, stationed by the army at nearby Camp Crowder, was with Morrison-Nese furniture company before beginning military duty February 1942. He is the third of the four sons of Mrs. Leon M. Ham, 605 North Greene street, and the late Mr. Ham. Three of the four are in the service.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Alvis, 1200 12th street, and for the 18 months before going to Missouri to be married was employed in Bridgeport, Conn., by Vought-Skiersky Aircraft corporation. The couple are living in Cathage. The bride's father attended the wedding, a simple affair at the home of the officiating Baptist minister, Rev. W. M. Hunt, and gave his daughter in marriage. Corp. John Hetzel, Camp Crowder, was best man.

American plane production in April will approach 7,000, WPB Chief Donald Nelson reports.

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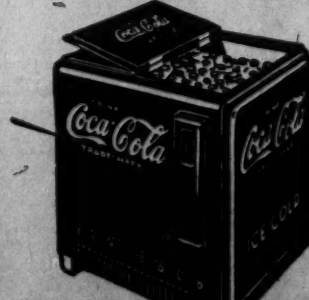
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W. O. Baby Clinic

Phyllis Dianna Crisco, Doris Marie Kirkman, Melvin Elwood Kirkman and Lacy Anderson Kirkman joined the Clinic Wednesday. Others present were: Julia Trogdon Pickard, Charles and Robert Rhew, Henry Franklin Starling, Jean Southern, Thomas Wayne Michael, Cynthia Roberson, Norman Elder, Norma Sue Apple, Kelly Douglas Evans, Kelly Pinkleton, Dianna Hughes Staley, Dewey Heath, Beulah Mae Johnson, Johnnie Layton, Linda Marion Murray and Brenda Sue Culbreth.

Dr. Keith will be in attendance next Wednesday P.M. at 1:30. Please be early if you wish to see him.

Highway Deaths Still Here

While British highway deaths were 16 per cent lower in 1942 than in 1939, 27 per cent more children died as a result of highway accidents. This should serve as a warning to American parents not to relax supervisory wartime.

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